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Dear All,

**APRIL Renews Partnership with UNEP to Honor Global Environmental Leaders**

Recognizing anew our leadership in environmental responsibility, I am proud to announce that the UN Environment Programme has again signed up with APRIL as their **Strategic Partner for the Champions of the Earth Awards 2008**.

The Champions of the Earth distinguishes individuals from each region of the world who have shown extraordinary leadership on environmental issues, with particular focus on sustainable development and the fight against climate change.

In addition, we are also the **Strategic Partner of B4E - the Global Business Summit for the Environment**, a major international conference focusing on business and the environment. This conference is co-hosted by the UNEP and the United Nations Global Compact.

As the Strategic Partner, APRIL will have opportunities to engage with the Champions, senior officers of UNEP and UNGC, participating government officials, speakers and around 1,000 expected delegates, through various platforms and activities. Specifically, our involvement will include: the hosting of an exclusive luncheon with the Champions, VIP guests and conference delegates; speaking at the conference; visit to Kerinci by some of the Champions and other VIP attendees; seats at the Awards Gala Dinner and in the conference for our customers, banking relations and other guests; and various media opportunities.

In fact, two of the Champions (and their spouses) have already confirmed their interest to join the visit to our operations in Kerinci on 21 April.

Additionally, we have secured the exclusive use of PaperOne in the printing of all related collaterals for the conference. APRIL is again also entitled to use the tagline: "UNEP Champions of the Earth Corporate Partner" on all our printed materials and collaterals throughout 2008.

Beyond the associated publicity value, this partnership means much more to us in our work as a 'champion' of sustainable resource management in the region. As UNEP's partner, a member of the World Business Council for Sustainable Development and a signatory to the UN Global Compact, our involvement in the international community comes with growing expectations and responsibilities. We take pride in these accomplishments but must remain mindful of the need to continue working hard for our goals of sustainability and responsible excellence.

The Awards and conference will be held in Singapore on 22-23 April. Appended below is a list of the Laureates for your reference. Our programme of involvement will be coordinated by the Corporate Communications team and they will keep us posted on the progress of these events.

Best regards,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "A. J. Devanesan".

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